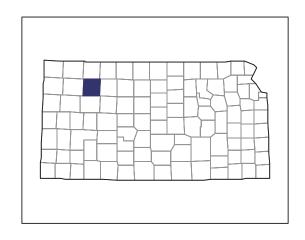
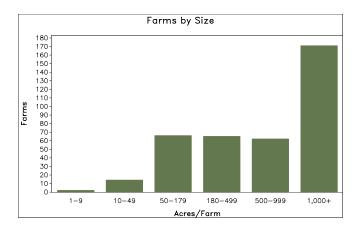
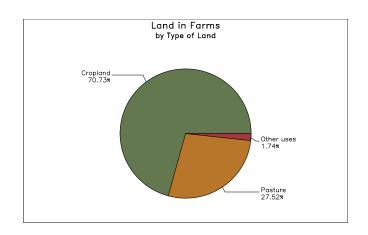


Sheridan, Kansas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	380	404	- 6
Land in Farms	522,052 acres	511,421 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	1,374 acres	1,266 acres	+ 9
Market Value of Production	\$294,926,000	\$142,464,000	+ 107
Crop Sales \$95,542,000 (32 percent) Livestock Sales \$199,384,000 (68 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$776,121	\$352,633	+ 120
Government Payments	\$6,197,000	\$3,400,000	+ 82
Average Per Farm	\$18,500	\$12,410	+ 49







County Profile

Sheridan, Kansas

Ranked items among the 105 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe 1	U.S. Rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	294,926 95,542 199,384	10 7 12	105 105 105	162 402 127	3,076 3,072 3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	93,888 (-) (-) (D) (-) (-) (D) 8 198,204 (D) 27 (-) 13 (-)	7 (-) (D) (-) (-) (-) (D) 76 11 (D) 84 (-) 83 (-)	105 (-) 19 72 56 74 29 105 105 105 98 105 103 104	244 (-) (-) (D) (-) (-) (D) 2,542 42 (D) 1,839 (-) 2,797 (-)	2,933 437 626 2,796 2,659 2,703 1,710 3,054 3,020 3,054 2,493 2,922 2,998 3,024 1,498 2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves Layers Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies Bison	104,705 551 286 226 (D)	13 41 79 94 32	105 105 105 105 72	124 2,099 1,651 2,825 (D)	3,060 3,024 2,958 3,066 1,543
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain Wheat for grain, all Sorghum for grain Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop Soybeans for beans	129,128 109,213 29,966 11,600 6,731	3 36 47 88 75	105 105 104 105 103	191 149 80 1,573 1,127	2,634 2,481 1,158 3,060 2,039

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Charac
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation
Less than \$1,000	47	Farming
\$1,000 to \$2,499	9	Other
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	Principal operators by sex:
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13	Male
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Female
\$25,000 to \$39,999	21	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	Average age of principal operator (years)
\$50,000 to \$99,999	46	
\$100,000 to \$249,999	57	All operators 2 by race:
\$250,000 to \$499,999	57	American Indian or Alaska Native
\$500,000 or more	87	Asian
		Black or African American
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	247,656	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islande
Average per farm (\$)	651,725	White
	·	More than one race
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	59,862	
Average per farm (\$)	157,532	All operators 2 of Spanish, Hispanic, or La

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	247
Other	133
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	349
Female	31
Average age of principal operator (years)	55.3
All operators ² by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	(-)
Asian	(-)
Black or African American	(-)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
White	576
More than one race	1
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	10

⁽D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.
 Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.